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FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

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April 26, 1872—d-tf.

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April 1, 1872—d-tf.

AT GEOLOGICAL TALK ABOUT NIAGARA.

The Age of the Falls—The Rate They are Receding—The Lakes Formerly Drained by the Mississippi.

From the Lockport, (N. Y.) Courier.

Before the lecture beginning on Tuesday evening last, Professor Gunning gave his audience a little talk about Niagara.

Ten years ago, he said, he had stood on Prospect Point, and looked searchingly at the American fall. Within a few days he stood there again, but what he saw did not answer to the image his mind had carried for ten years. The rim of the precipice is more indented. Here and there a mass of rock has fallen, leaving a notch, the beginnings of a little horseshoe. The great horseshoe itself had changed. At the point of deepest water and deepest green the curve is deeply notched. Any observer whose knowledge of the falls covers only a few years, will see that they are receding.

The recession has been very slow, the speaker thought not more than six inches a year. At the present rate of recession it would have taken 75,000 years to cut the channel from Lewiston to the present site of the horseshoe. The speaker drew a section of the river bank from Lewiston upwards, and showed the seven groups of strata come to the surface between Lewiston and the falls. At the whirlpool a very hard, flinty sand stone appears on the water's edge. Through this the fall would cut its way slowly. Here for ages the cataract was almost stationary.

Above the new suspension bridge the Clinton group dips to the water's edge. These rocks are compact, and here the falls made another halt. Seventy thousand years are not enough. We can only approximate, but perhaps 150,000 would be a closer approximation to the age of the channel than 75,000 years.

That is not all. We find an old river bed, filled with drift, between the whirlpool and St. David's. Perhaps 200,000 years for the entire history of the fall would not be above the demand. We think of this as long, and our wonder is that the falls are so old. But he who looks with a geological eye thinks of the time as short, and his wonder is that the falls are so young. The upper lakes are old. Geologically, the lake era is very old. It was dry land long before the Alleghany mountains were lifted up. The river which drains it should be old. And yet the Niagara, perhaps, is only 200,000 years old! How shall we account for the drainage of the lakes through so many million of years not registered in the channel of Niagara?

The speaker drew a section of the upper lakes, and showed that the Niagara river, at the head of the rapids, is only thirty feet higher than the face of Lake Michigan. A barrier more than thirty feet high across the Niagara plateau, would throw the waters of Lake Erie back on Lake Michigan and the drainage would be through the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico. Western geologists have found an old river channel from the lake to the Illinois, and the speaker drew the sections of a great barrier which once stretched across the plateau. The old river bed in Illinois and the broken bridge across the Niagara plateau account for the extreme youth of the falls.

NO GREELEY TAKERS IN OHIO.

The Ravenna *Democrat* say: There is not the least foundation for the statement that Ohio will go for Greeley and Brown. It is an impossibility. As a friend just said, "The people of Ohio have been too well raised." There are no Greeley shouters in Ohio. There are no newspapers that adhere to Greeley.

Up here in northern Ohio the people have seen Horace Greeley go to sleep in a gentleman's house, in Akron, at a reception given in his honor, and thousands from all the region round about saw and heard him at Garrettsville and Cleveland. Before he was seen or heard there was the charm about the name of Horace Greeley that distance lends, but that charm was cruelly dispelled. He came, he was seen, and it was all over with poor Horace Greeley. There will never be any enthusiasm for him in this section, no matter what happens at Philadelphia or Baltimore.

RECIPES, ETC.

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Cottage Pudding.—Tablespoonful of butter, one cup of sugar, one cup of sweet milk, one egg, and one teaspoonful of baking powder, mixed with two cups of sifted flour. Bake as a cake and eat with liquid sauce.—*Household.*

Extra rich ore has been reached in the Yellow Jacket Mine, Nevada, that assays $400 per ton.

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WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 05 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	8 50 a. m
"	Keokuk	10 20 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 11 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur.........6:45 a. m.
" 13— " " ....2:00 p. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 40 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 25 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 6—Leaves Decatur.........8:30 a. m.
" 11— " " ....8:30 p. m.

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Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, April 20, 1872--daw-ly.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

SAMUEL CLARK, vs. MOSES C. HICKS, } Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Moses C. Hicks, that a Writ of Attachment dated April 4, 1872, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court aforesaid, issued out of the office of the Clerk of said Court at the suit of the above-named Samuel Clark, and against the estate of the said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county, for the sum of One Thousand Dollars; and that the same has been returned executed, and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now, unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said Court, give bail, and plead in said cause by a certain day hereinafter to be fixed by the Judge of said Court, in the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur and county aforesaid, commencing on the 22d day of July, A. D., 1872, judgment will be rendered against you, and in favor of the said Samuel Clark, for the said sum of One Thousand Dollars and the costs of this cause; and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

Dated May 10, 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ROBINSON, KNAPP & SHUTT, Plaintiff's Att'ys.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

JAMES J. CRUSMAN, vs. GEORGE T. HALL, } Attachment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said defendant in the above entitled suit, that the same is now pending in said Court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said Court on the 10th day of May, A. D., 1872, at the suit of the said James J. Crusman, against the estate of the said George T. Hall for the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-Seven 53-100 Dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county; which said Writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said George T. Hall; and unless the said George T. Hall, shall appear, give bail and plead on the return day of said Writ, judgment will be entered and the estate attached will be sold.

Given under my hand this 13th day of May, A. D., 1872.

mi6-w4t] E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. C. JOHNS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

James W. Routh vs. Mary Wyatt and Jesse Leforgee.

INJUNCTION.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Mary Wyatt, the above-named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in said State, notice is hereby given to the said Mary Wyatt, that the complainant has filed his certain bill of complaint in said Circuit Court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued against you the said Mary Wyatt, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872. Now, unless you, the said Mary Wyatt, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso* and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Cl'k of Cir. Court.
W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.
Decatur, May 9, 1872--w4t.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D., 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL, vs. AMOS T. HICKMAN, } Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—daw.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co., vs. Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

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John W. Haworth,
City Marshal.

Decatur, April 30, 1872-d1w.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Henry Ebert and against Frederick Snyder, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The northeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼), except twenty (20) feet off west side, all in section eighteen (18), township sixteen (16), north, range three east of the third principal meridian. Taken as the property of the said Frederick Snyder which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 23d day of May, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock p. m., of said day; for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 3d day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon Co.

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Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Hile, Dec'd, late of Macon county, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

C. H. GARVER,
Administrator.

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E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW.

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W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

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W. C. JOHNS, [illegible]

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF [illegible] MACON [illegible]

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., [illegible]

Frank Hebenstreit vs. Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, [illegible] Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand.

[illegible]

A[illegible] dants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent [illegible] found in the State of Illinois, so that process can be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hebenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons [illegible] returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things in said bill charged and contained, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Cl'k of Cir. Court.
W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.
Decatur, May 9, 1872—w4t.

A. BROWN DUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
No. 10 Water Street

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D., 1872.

Mattie E. Dresbach vs. Daniel Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Mary [illegible] Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susannah Roberts, William E. Roberts, and [illegible], Administrator of Estate of Elizabeth C. Dresbach.

In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susannah Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county. Notice is hereby given to the said Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant [illegible] her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday of July next (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Dresbach and Hannah Dresbach, Susannah Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein set forth and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Decatur, May 9, 1872—w4t.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Dewees, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

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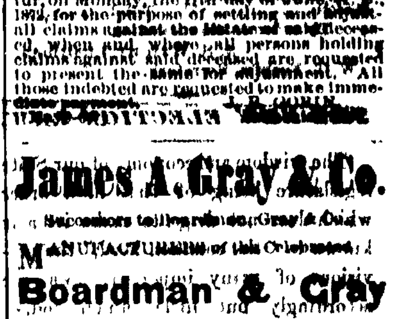

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AT GEOLOGICAL TALK ABOUT NIAGARA.

The Age of the Falls—The Rate They are Receding—The Lakes Formerly Drained by the Mississippi.

From the Lockport, (N. Y.) Courier.

Before the lecture beginning on Tuesday evening last, Professor Gunning gave his audience a little talk about Niagara.

Ten years ago, he said, he had stood on Prospect Point, and looked searchingly at the American fall. Within a few days he stood there again, but what he saw did not answer to the image his mind had carried for ten years. The rim of the precipice is more indented. Here and there a mass of rock has fallen, leaving a notch, the beginnings of a little horseshoe. The great horseshoe itself had changed. At the point of deepest water and deepest green the curve is deeply notched. Any observer whose knowledge of the falls covers only a few years, will see that they are receding.

The recession has been very slow, the speaker thought not more than six inches a year. At the present rate of recession it would have taken 75,000 years to cut the channel from Lewiston to the present site of the horseshoe. The speaker drew a section of the river bank from Lewiston upwards, and showed the seven groups of strata come to the surface between Lewiston and the falls. At the whirlpool a very hard, flinty sand stone appears on the water's edge. Through this the fall would cut its way slowly. Here for ages the cataract was almost stationary.

Above the new suspension bridge the Clinton group dips to the water's edge. These rocks are compact, and here the falls made another halt. Seventy thousand years are not enough. We can only approximate, but perhaps 150,000 would be a closer approximation to the age of the channel than 75,000 years.

That is not all. We find an old river bed, filled with drift, between the whirlpool and St. David's. Perhaps 200,000 years for the entire history of the fall would not be above the demand. We think of this as long, and our wonder is that the falls are so old. But he who looks with a geological eye thinks of the time as short, and his wonder is that the falls are so young. The upper lakes are old. Geologically, the lake era is very old. It was dry land long before the Alleghany mountains were lifted up. The river which drains it should be old. And yet the Niagara, perhaps, is only 200,000 years old! How shall we account for the drainage of the lakes through so many million of years not registered in the channel of Niagara?

The speaker drew a section of the upper lakes, and showed that the Niagara river, at the head of the rapids, is only thirty feet higher than the face of Lake Michigan. A barrier more than thirty feet high across the Niagara plateau, would throw the waters of Lake Erie back on Lake Michigan and the drainage would be through the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico. Western geologists have found an old river channel from the lake to the Illinois, and the speaker drew the sections of a great barrier which once stretched across the plateau. The old river bed in Illinois and the broken bridge across the Niagara plateau account for the extreme youth of the falls.

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" " closes at 4:00 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 3:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
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" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
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I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

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2:10 A. M. .... 5:05 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5.10 A. M. .... 5:00 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.

10.30 A. M. .... 3:05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

7:25 A. M. .... 3:15 P. M.

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F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., } Chicago
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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 2, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	8 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 05 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	8 50 a. m
"	Keokuk	10 20 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 11 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur	6:45 a. m.
" 13— " "	2:00 p. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 40 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	6 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 23 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 6—Leaves Decatur	8:30 a. m.
" 14— " "	8:30 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West	2 50 p. m
" " Accom "	6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East	8 10 a. m
" " Accom "	3 45 p. m

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May 21-d&w tf

ICE CREAM,

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Are the topics for discussion now. An abundance always on hand, at

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April 26—d-tf.

$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

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SOLE AGENTS,

Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, April 20, 1872--daw-ly.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

SAMUEL CLARK, } Attachment.
vs. }
MOSES C. HICKS, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Moses C. Hicks, that a Writ of Attachment dated April 4, 1872, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court aforesaid, issued out of the office of the Clerk of said Court at the suit of the above-named Samuel Clark, and against the estate of the said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county, for the sum of One Thousand Dollars; and that the same has been returned executed, and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now, unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said Court, give bail, and plead in said cause by a certain day hereinafter to be fixed by the Judge of said Court, in the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur and county aforesaid, commencing on the 22d day of July, A. D., 1872, judgment will be rendered against you, and in favor of the said Samuel Clark, for the said sum of One Thousand Dollars and the costs of this cause; and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said Judgment.

Dated May 10, 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ROBINSON, KNAPP & SHUTT, Plaintiff's Att'ys.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

JAMES J. CRUSMAN, } *Attachment.*
vs. }
GEORGE T. HALL, }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said defendant in the above entitled suit, that the same is now pending in said Court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said Court on the 10th day of May, A. D., 1872, at the suit of the said James J. Crusman, against the estate of the said George T. Hall for the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-Seven 53-100 Dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county; which said Writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said George T. Hall; and unless the said George T. Hall shall appear, give bail and plead on the return day of said Writ, Judgment will be entered and the estate attached will be sold.

Given under my hand this 13th day of May, A. D., 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

m16-w4t

W. C. JOHNS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

James W. Routh vs. Mary Wyatt and Jesse Leforgee.

INJUNCTION.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Mary Wyatt, the above-named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in said State, notice is hereby given to the said Mary Wyatt, that the complainant has filed his certain bill of complaint in said Circuit Court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued against you the said Mary Wyatt, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872. Now, unless you, the said Mary Wyatt, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso* and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Cl'k of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.

Decatur, May 9, 1872--w4t.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL } Attachment.
vs. }
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,

Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.

OREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.

May 21, 1872—d4w.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.

Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

TAKE NOTICE!

To Whom it May Concern!

BY AN ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, you are hereby notified to remove

All Filth, Dirt or Rubbish

Within ten days from the date hereof, from the alley or street in front or adjoining your premises, under penalty of the [illegible] and provided. The following is the Ordinance of the city in such case made:

SECTION 9. Whoever shall throw, place or leave any ashes, dirt, filth, paper or other rubbish, in or upon any street, alley or sidewalk, in front or adjoining any premises owned or occupied by him, under his control, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than two dollars, and to a like penalty for each hour the same may remain after notice to remove the same by the Mayor, the Marshal, the Supervisor, or any Public Officer.

John W. Haworth,
City Marshal.

Decatur, April 30, 1872-d1w.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Henry Ebert and against Frederick Snyder, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The northeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼), except twenty (20) feet off west side, all in section eighteen (18), township sixteen (16), north, range three east of the third principal meridian. Taken as the property of the said Frederick Snyder which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 23d day of May, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day; for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 3d day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon Co.

may3-d-tds)

Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Hile, Dec'd, late of Macon county, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

C. H. GARVER,
Administrator.

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PROFESSIONAL.

E. B. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW.

OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. ja3-d1y

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W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. Apr. 1-dtf.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

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SURGEON DENTIST, at Macon, Ills. Office with Dr. Tobey, on Main street. Open every day. Operations performed at the lowest rates. Call and see him. Get his prices before going elsewhere.

December 28, 1871—1y.

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Aug. 11, 1870-1y

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W. C. JOHNS, [illegible]

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

Frank Hohenstreit vs. Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, [illegible] Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand.

In Chancery.

A[illegible] dants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent [illegible] be found in the State of [illegible] be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hohenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons [illegible] returnable to the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless you, the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things in said bill charged and contained, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Cl'k of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w4t.

A. [illegible]

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

No. 10 Water Street

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D., 1872.

Mattie E. Drobach vs. Daniel Drobach, Andrew J. Drobach, Mary [illegible], Hannah Drobach, [illegible] Roberts, William E. Roberts and [illegible] Administrator of Estate of Elizabeth C. Drobach.

In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of [illegible] Drobach, Hannah [illegible] Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county. Notice is hereby given to the said [illegible], Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant [illegible] her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendants, [illegible] day of July next, (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Drobach and Hannah [illegible] Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur in said county, on the

Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein set forth and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree [illegible] with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w4t.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Deyton, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

J. B. [illegible]
[illegible] Administrator.

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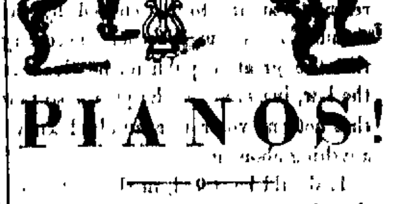

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April 15—daw-tf.

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Decatur, Feb. 22, 1872-1f

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, June 3.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.
For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.
For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.
For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.
For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.
For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.
Clerk of Supreme Court—Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

Presidential Electors:

At Large—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co. DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.
1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—INUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

Republican Congressional Convention.

The Republicans of the 14th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to elect delegates to attend a Convention of said District, to be held at Tolono, in Champaign county, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13th, 1872;

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in Congress for said District, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every four hundred and fraction over one hundred and fifty votes cast for President in 1868, which will entitle the respective counties of said 14th Congressional District to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	8	Piatt	3
Coles	7	Vermilion	8
Douglas	4		
Macon	7	Total	37

By order of the committee.
J. S. WRIGHT, Chairman.
W. T. FOSTER, Secretary.

THE NEW ELECTION LAW.

The wisdom and economy of our State legislature being of that high order which does not deign to make its acts known to "the common herd," the provisions of many important laws are accordingly but little understood.—Among the acts of very grave importance passed at the late session, is that governing elections, and as its provisions lay down the manner in which representatives are to be elected, by the cumulative system, it becomes necessary that the greatest publicity be given to the law, inasmuch as the plan is so new that not one voter in a hundred knows anything about it.

It should be stated, in the first place, that the cumulative system applies only to the election of representatives, three of which are to be chosen in each district. Under the new plan each voter may cast one vote for each of three candidates, or two votes for one and one vote for another, or one and a half votes for each of two candidates, or he may cast three votes for one candidate. The law provides that the voter shall express his intention on the face of the ballot, in words or figures, opposite the names of the candidates for whom he desires to vote.

By this plan, one-fourth of the voters of any given district can elect one representative, by concentrating their votes upon him, that is, by giving him all the votes which they are entitled to cast.

Among the other provisions of the new law is one which effectually breaks up the practice of engraved tickets so printed as to prevent scratching. This abomination was peculiar to Chicago, and designed to force electors to vote for "regular nominations," no matter how detestable they might be. The law provides that the ballot may be written or printed, or partly both, upon plain paper. When the ballot is printed, the same shall be printed on plain paper, in plain type, in straight lines, with a blank space below each name of a width not less than equal to the width of the line in which the name is printed. It is also provided that the names of "all the candidates" for which the elector intends to vote shall be on the same ballot.

It is also provided that after opening of the polls no adjournment shall be had, nor shall any rest be taken until all the votes cast at such elections shall have been counted and the result publicly announced.

The bill contains a number of very strong provisions against bribery, fraud or coercion in elections, and enacts heavy penalties against betting on elections.

For the Decatur Republican.

EDUCATIONAL.

A circular has been received from the State Superintendent, from which I take the following extracts:

NATURAL SCIENCES IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

"The 50th section of the New School Law provides that no teacher shall be authorized to teach a common school who is not qualified to teach "The Elements of the Natural Sciences, Physiology and the Laws of Health," in addition to the branches previously required."

"Physiology and Hygiene are specifically designated, leaving nothing to be interpreted or construed, but the phrase "natural sciences," is so broad and comprehensive, that no practical effect can be given to it without proper limitations. * * * Of necessity a limited number only of the sciences must be selected and designated. * * * Therefore the duty of construing this provision and making the proper selection devolves upon the State Superintendent."

Accordingly he designates "Botany, Zoology and Natural Philosophy" as the "natural sciences," an elementary knowledge of which, in addition to Physiology and Hygiene, must be possessed by teachers under the new law. Teachers must be qualified to teach the "elements" of these sciences.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

The Elements of Physiology comprise:

1. *The Mechanical System,* consisting of the Bones, Joints and Muscles.
2. *The Nervous System,* including the Brain, Spinal Marrow, Nerves and Organs of Sense.
3. *The Repairing System,* embracing Digestion, Circulation, Respiration, Absorption and Secretion.

The elements of Hygiene, or Laws of Health, comprise, 1, Air and Health; 2, Water and Health; 3, Food and Health; 4, Clothing and Health; 5, Exercise and Health; 6, Mental Hygiene, or the Relations of Mind and Body.

BOTANY.

The elements of this science are all comprised in the structure, characteristics and functions of Root, Stem and Leaf; Flower, Fruit and Seed. To a general knowledge of these six fundamental and all-comprehending branches of the subject, should be added the principles of Classification and Nomenclature, the Methods of Study and some practical acquaintance with the Flora of the State, or at least of the county in which the teacher resides or teaches.

ZOOLOGY.

An elementary knowledge of Zoology, or Natural History, must embrace the chief distinguishing characteristics of the four grand divisions of the animal kingdom, Vertebrates, Articulates, Mollusks and Radiates; also a general knowledge of the five classes of Vertebrates—Mammals, Birds, Reptiles, Batrachians and Fishes, with the principal Orders of each. Of Articulates, special attention must be given to the class of Insects and its chief subdivisions.

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

In this science, the applicant for licensure must have a clear understanding of the general and specific Properties of Matter, and of the elementary principles of Attraction, Pressure, Motion, the Mechanical Powers, Sound, Light, Heat and Electricity.

It makes but little difference, of course, from what books or sources the above knowledge is obtained. Mr. Bateman, however, devotes three pages and more of his Circular to this part of the subject.

No doubt, the full text of the Circular, together with much other valuable information will appear in the *Schoolmaster* and *Teacher*, for one or both of which all teachers and those proposing to teach, who have not already done so, are urged to subscribe without delay.

OSCAR F. MCKIM,
Co. Supt. of Schools.

GOV. OGLESBY'S CANDIDACY.

A Republican of Chicago having sent to Gov. Oglesby some opposition newspaper extracts, setting forth that he was playing possum, and was in reality running for the United States Senate rather than for the executive chair, the Governor responds under date of May 30:

"If I am not a candidate for Governor of Illinois, I am the worst deceived man in this State. If I do not at the proper time open the contest and push it till election day, I am trifling with my real purposes and the just expectations of the Republicans of Illinois; and if I am not elected, dead sure, I am the worst fooled man in the country. I have not opened my mouth to any human about the Senate. It has been mentioned to me as among future possibilities, but I have abstained from the expression of even a wish on the subject. I have accepted in good faith the honor of the nomination as Governor, and I shall make the election of the State and Presidential tickets my whole business."

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The *Time's* Washington special says the Conference Committee on the Tax Tariff bill met again this morning and will probably conclude their action during the day, so that a report can be made Tuesday morning.

It is probable that Senators Conkling and Carpenter will make speeches in reply to Sumner and Schurz, during the session of the ensuing week.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says it is the general belief that the House will on Tuesday take a recess till Friday, for the purpose of allowing members to attend the Republican Convention at Philadelphia, and it is probable the Senate will do little business during the sitting of the Convention. A great number of members of both Houses will attend in person. A portion of them as delegates.

About twenty colored delegates to the Philadelphia Convention, called on Sumner yesterday to pay their respects. In conversation on the political situation, they said the men in the South who opposed and oppressed colored people and had stood out against impartial suffrage, civil rights and other questions affecting their race, were all in favor of the election of Greeley, and they did not think it their duty to go with their oppressors, even for the sake of voting for Greeley.

The representatives of holders of the Alabama claims are now in Washington very much disappointed over the the failure of the treaty, and are already pressing that their claims be provided for in some way. It will be remembered that eighteen months ago, when the President sent to the Senate the correspondence which resulted in the appointment of a Joint High Commission, the foreign affairs committee of the House had under consultation a bill providing that the government assume and pay these claims, and then charge them up against Great Britain. An attempt will be made to secure the passage of such a bill as this now, though, as the session of Congress is so near its close, it cannot probably be done before next winter.

Geo. C. Avery, who killed Deitrich Lambrecht, last February, was found guilty Saturday of murder in second degree. He will be sentenced to-day.

Bernard Curry, engineer of the Tug Epsilon, died at Centre Street Hospital, Saturday, from injuries received by bursting of the vessel's boiler.

NEW YORK, June 3.—The *Herald*, announcing the death of Mr. Bennett, says: Five years ago, Mr. Bennett entirely withdrew from the management of the *Herald*, although his general health had been remarkably good, while his fine intellect remained unimpaired and his interest in the events of the day continued unabated up to the moment of his fatal illness. About half past five o'clock last Saturday afternoon, Mr. Bennett suffered a slight convulsive attack, accompanied by epileptic symptoms, but it was not sufficiently marked or violent to excite apprehension of immediate danger. At half past one o'clock last Sunday morning, the attack was repeated, and with greater severity, and from that time it became evident, although Doctors Ceccarina, Hammond and Lusk were in constant attendance, and exhausted all human efforts to avert it, that Mr. Bennett's end was close at hand. On Tuesday last, at the request of Mr. Bennett, Archbishop McClusky visited his bed-side, and administered to him the sacraments of the church. When his last hour arrived, he sank to sleep in death calmly and peacefully, and, it is said, passed away without a struggle. Mr. Bennett was in the 77th year of his age.

The body of James Gordon Bennett is to be preserved in ice until the arrival of his son and daughter from Europe, which will be some time the present week.

FROM WASHINGTON.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON CITY, June 1, 1872.—The motion to rescind the resolution of final adjournment to June 3, elicited long and thorough debate, participated in by a majority of the Senators.

Messrs. Conkling and Logan were particularly severe upon Messrs. Sumner and Schurz, charging them with embarrassing and delaying public business. Speaking of Sumner's speech Mr. Logan said the Senator from Massachusetes will find a response to that malignant speech in every crutch that aids a wounded soldier on his way through the world; in every wooden arm; in the grieved heart of every widowed mother mourning for her patriot son that will overwhelm him and all his oratory. These will speak in thunder tones in defence of one of the most gallant soldiers that ever lived in any nation on earth. Loud applause in the galleries, which was with difficulty suppressed.

The Senate rescinded the resolution to adjourn *sine die* on Monday, June 3, by a vote of 40 to 16.

Sunday civil service was resumed, Mr. Carpenter was entitled to the floor, but was ill. He will at an early day reply to the criticisms made yesterday on the arms committee.

EVENING SESSION.

Sundry civil appropriation bills were taken up. The amendment appropriating $15,000 to introduce shad and other fish into the Gulf States and the Mississippi valley was adopted.

A resolution fixing the time of adjournment to June 10th was received from the House.

Mr. Sherman moved they concur. Agreed to.

The bill appropriating $10,000 for an equestrian statute of Gen. Rawlins. Passed. Adjourned.

HOUSE.

On motion of Mr. Shanks the investigation into the Indian frauds was ordered and concurred.

During the vacation a message was received from the Senate announcing that it had rescinded the concurrent resolution of adjournment to 3d of June.

Mr. Dawes offered a resolution to adjourn June 10th, expressing his belief that the Senate would agree. Adopted. At 9:45 recess was taken until Monday morning.

FROM PENNSYLVANIA.

READING, June 2.—The following resolutions were adopted by the Democratic State Convention last night:

Resolved, That the Democratic party while in the future, as in the past, are firm in upholding the Constitution of the United States, as the foundation and limitation of the powers of the general government, and a safe shield of the liberties of the people, and demands for the citizens the largest freedom consistent with public order, and for every State the right of self-government; that to uphold the former, and protect the latter, the Democracy of Pennsylvania can offer no better platform upon which to stand than the great leading principles announced in the inauguration of President Jefferson, and the farewell address of the immortal Jackson. Upon these two great state papers we plant ourselves, and enter into the contest of 1872.

Resolved, That this convention invites the co-operation of all the citizens of the commonwealth in an earnest effort to remove from our State administration every taint of political corruption, and our attempt to do this can be made certainly successful by the union of the upright and fair-minded men of all parties, and by sustaining candidates of unquestionable ability and unspotted names.

The next resolution appeals to the people to support the nominee for Governor, because his action in the past is proof that his official influence will be used hereafter to prevent the mischief of special legislation, and to destroy the possibility of procuring the enactment of any statute by the use of money, or by any corrupt means. This resolution also declares all the candidates eminently worthy of the confidence and support of the people.

The last resolution is as follows:

Resolved, That the granting by the Radical Legislature of this State of numerous charters creating such corporations as the Southern Improvement Company, and others of similar character, is unjust to the interests of trade and dangerous to the rights and liberties of the people, and as such, meets our unqualified condemnation.

FOREIGN NEWS.

TORONTO, June 3.—In the House of Commons at Ottawa Saturday last, after a long debate, the Pacific Railway bill was passed after having been read a third time. The passage of the bill was greeted with great cheering.

LONDON, June 3.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, Hon. Mr. Gladstone made a statement with reference to the negotiation between the British and American governments concerning the proposed supplemental article to the treaty of Washington. He announced that the supplemental treaty had been submitted to, and had received the fullest consideration by the crown lawyers, who, in rendering their opinions, have declared that the wording of the article is sufficient to preclude the preservation of the American claim for indirect damages to the Geneva Conference, Mr. Gladstone also explains that the present correspondence between the two Governments, which had been somewhat protracted, and had consequently given rise to considerable speculation as to its import and ultimate result had no reference whatever to the subject of the presentation of the indirect claims by America. The difference which occasioned a prolongation of the official correspondence between the two Governments and applied entirely to a prospective action of the clauses of the supplemental article which might result from a different construction of these claims by either Government at a future period.

FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, June 2.—The *Journal's* Jacksonville special says it is believed that the murderers of Hon. Sharon Tyndale have been discovered in the persons of two men, Dunning and Kennedy, now serving a term in the penitentiary. The detectives claim to have unearthed sufficient evidence to convict them.

FROM BROOKLYN.

BROOKLYN, June 3.—Dr. Lucius B. Irish, druggist, and Mrs. Sarah Anderson were arrested to-day, charged with having caused the death of Edward O. Anderson, formerly Internal Revenue Assessor, and husband of the latter by poisoning. The were arrested on affidavit of the deceased father.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1.50; July 1.46; August 1.40.

Corn, strong, cash 43¾@44 July 45⅝; August 47⅞.

Pork, steady, July 12.55.

Lard, weak; cash 8.45.

Oats, quiet at 41@41¼.

Rye, nothing doing.

Barley, nothing doing.

Highwines, steady, dull at 87.

Receipts of wheat, 35,220 bushels; oats 191,980; rye 2277; barley, 5290. Shipments, wheat, 558,569; oats 117,776; rye 4,800.

Hogs, receipts, 4,800; market dull and prices lower. Extreme range, 3.35@3.90.

Cattle, firm at 5.00@6.75.

Sheep, 7.50@8.50.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Flour, plenty, easier, 6.95@7.25.

Wheat, inactive, No. 2 Chicago held at 1.70; an advance in freights checks business.

Corn, dull, firm at 72@73 in store.

Oats, easier, 54 in store; mild afloat.

Rye, nominal at 94.

Whiskey, inactive at 91.

Pork, quiet at $13.15@13.20.

Lard, quiet at 9¾@9¾.

Gold, 14⅛c.

IT is said that a full representation of the leading colored men of the country will be in Philadelphia during the session of the Republican National Convention, to urge upon that convention the adoption of resolutions indorsing the Supplementary Civil Rights bill, as originally introduced and advocated by Senator Sumner, and making it part of the platform of the party.

THE Northwest Territory and British Columbia have 28,000 miles of waterway, the greater part of which is navigable, and running through a country that has been found to be adapted to the growth of wheat.

THE Jury in the case of Cobb, Blaisdell & Co., against the Illinois Central railroad company, which has been on trial at Independence, Iowa, for the last three months, on Monday last, after being out thirty-seven hours, returned a verdict for the plaintiffs, and assessed their damages at $281,000.

New Advertisements.

WANTED—A light spring wagon, second hand, immediately. For particulars call at the American Button-hole Overseaming and Sewing Machine Office, Central Block, one door north of Warren & Durfee's. May 25-tf

BOARDING HOUSE.—Mrs. Martin has rented Dr. Chenoweth's house, No. 7 West Main street, and is prepared to accommodate a few families with good airy rooms and board, and will receive a few day boarders. [m16-d1w.

WANTED—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [m3—d-tf.]

WANTED—A girl to do the housework of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [a29-dtf

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ullrich and Daniel H. Hellman, partners as J. Ullrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Adam M. Corn, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, dec'd, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm name of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block "F," in the town of Oakley; also, the warehouse grounds being on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, commencing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning—all being in the town of Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon County.
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DISSOLUTION.

IN CONSEQUENCE of the continued ill health of Mr. C. L. Bartlett, he has withdrawn from our firm from this date.
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Republican Congressional Convention.

The Republicans of the 14th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to elect delegates to attend a Convention of said District, to be held at Tolono, in Champaign county, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13th, 1872;

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in Congress for said District, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every four hundred and fraction over one hundred and fifty votes cast for President in 1868, which will entitle the respective counties of said 14th Congressional District to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	8	Piatt	3
Coles	7	Vermillion	8
Douglas	4		—
Macon	7	Total	37

By order of the committee.
J. S. WRIGHT, Chairman.
W. T. FOSTER, Secretary.

THE NEW ELECTION LAW.

The wisdom and economy of our State legislature being of that high order which does not deign to make its acts known to "the common herd," the provisions of many important laws are accordingly but little understood.—Among the acts of very grave importance passed at the late session, is that governing elections, and as its provisions lay down the manner in which representatives are to be elected, by the cumulative system, it becomes necessary that the greatest publicity be given to the law, inasmuch as the plan is so new that not one voter in a hundred knows anything about it.

It should be stated, in the first place, that the cumulative system applies only to the election of representatives, three of which are to be chosen in each district. Under the new plan each voter may cast one vote for each of three candidates, or two votes for one and one vote for another, or one and a half votes for each of two candidates, or he may cast three votes for one candidate. The law provides that the voter shall express his intention on the face of the ballot, in words or figures, opposite the names of the candidates for whom he desires to vote.

By this plan, one-fourth of the voters of any given district can elect one representative, by concentrating their votes upon him, that is, by giving him all the votes which they are entitled to cast.

Among the other provisions of the new law is one which effectually breaks up the practice of engraved tickets so printed as to prevent scratching. This abomination was peculiar to Chicago, and designed to force electors to vote for "regular nominations," no matter how detestable they might be. The law provides that the ballot may be written or printed, or partly both, upon plain paper. When the ballot is printed, the same shall be printed on plain paper, in plain type, in straight lines, with a blank space below each name of a width not less than equal to the width of the line in which the name is printed. It is also provided that the names of "all the candidates" for which the elector intends to vote shall be on the same ballot.

It is also provided that after opening of the polls no adjournment shall be had, nor shall any rest be taken until all the votes cast at such elections shall have been counted and the result publicly announced.

The bill contains a number of very strong provisions against bribery, fraud or coercion in elections, and enacts heavy penalties against betting on elections.

For the Decatur Republican.

EDUCATIONAL.

A circular has been received from the State Superintendent, from which I take the following extracts:

NATURAL SCIENCES IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

"The 50th section of the New School Law provides that no teacher shall be authorized to teach a common school who is not qualified to teach "The Elements of the Natural Sciences, Physiology and the Laws of Health," in addition to the branches previously required."

"Physiology and Hygiene are specifically designated, leaving nothing to be interpreted or construed, but the phrase "natural sciences," is so broad and comprehensive, that no practical effect can be given to it without proper limitations. * * * Of necessity a limited number only of the sciences must be selected and designated. * * * Therefore the duty of construing this provision and making the proper selection devolves upon the State Superintendent."

Accordingly he designates "Botany, Zoology and Natural Philosophy" as the "natural sciences," an elementary knowledge of which, in addition to Physiology and Hygiene, must be possessed by teachers under the new law. Teachers must be qualified to teach the "elements" of these sciences.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

The Elements of Physiology comprise:

1. *The Mechanical System*, consisting of the Bones, Joints and Muscles.
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3. *The Repairing System*, embracing Digestion, Circulation, Respiration, Absorption and Secretion.

The elements of Hygiene, or Laws of Health, comprise, 1, Air and Health; 2, Water and Health; 3, Food and Health; 4, Clothing and Health; 5, Exercise and Health; 6, Mental Hygiene, or the Relations of Mind and Body.

BOTANY.

The elements of this science are all comprised in the structure, characteristics and functions of Root, Stem and Leaf; Flower, Fruit and Seed. To a general knowledge of these six fundamental and all-comprehending branches of the subject, should be added the principles of Classification and Nomenclature, the Methods of Study and some practical acquaintance with the Flora of the State, or at least of the county in which the teacher resides or teaches.

ZOOLOGY.

An elementary knowledge of Zoology, or Natural History, must embrace the chief distinguishing characteristics of the four grand divisions of the animal kingdom, Vertebrates, Articulates, Mollusks and Radiates; also a general knowledge of the five classes of Vertebrates—Mammals, Birds, Reptiles, Batrachians and Fishes, with the principal Orders of each. Of Articulates, special attention must be given to the class of Insects and its chief subdivisions.

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

In this science, the applicant for licensure must have a clear understanding of the general and specific Properties of Matter, and of the elementary principles of Attraction, Pressure, Motion, the Mechanical Powers, Sound, Light, Heat and Electricity.

It makes but little difference, of course, from what books or sources the above knowledge is obtained. Mr. Bateman, however, devotes three pages and more of his Circular to this part of the subject.

No doubt, the full text of the Circular, together with much other valuable information will appear in the *Schoolmaster* and *Teacher*, for one or both of which all teachers and those proposing to teach, who have not already done so, are urged to subscribe without delay.

OSCAR F. MCKIM,
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NEW YORK, June 3.—The *Herald* special from Matamoras, Mexico, contains an account of the great victory for the government troops. General Corella routed the revolutionists at San Bernabe, near Montery, on the 30th ult., driving them into the streets of Montery and taking possession of the city, the capture of which it is thought will end the revolution. Government loss slight; revolutionists had a large number killed, wounded and captured.

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It is probable that Senators Conkling and Carpenter will make speeches in reply to Sumner and Schurz, during the session of the ensuing week.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says it is the general belief that the House will on Tuesday take a recess till Friday, for the purpose of allowing members to attend the Republican Convention at Philadelphia, and it is probable the Senate will do little business during the sitting of the Convention. A great number of members of both Houses will attend in person. A portion of them as delegates.

About twenty colored delegates to the Philadelphia Convention, called on Sumner yesterday to pay their respects. In conversation on the political situation, they said the men in the South who opposed and oppressed colored people and had stood out against impartial suffrage, civil rights and other questions affecting their race, were all in favor of the election of Greeley, and they did not think it their duty to go with their oppressors, even for the sake of voting for Greeley.

The representatives of holders of the Alabama claims are now in Washington very much disappointed over the the failure of the treaty, and are already pressing that their claims be provided for in some way. It will be remembered that eighteen months ago, when the President sent to the Senate the correspondence which resulted in the appointment of a Joint High Commission, the foreign affairs committee of the House had under consultation a bill providing that the government assume and pay these claims, and then charge them up against Great Britain. An attempt will be made to secure the passage of such a bill as this now, though, as the session of Congress is so near its close, it cannot probably be done before next winter.

Geo. C. Avery, who killed Deitrich Lambrecht, last February, was found guilty Saturday of murder in second degree. He will be sentenced to-day.

Bernard Curry, engineer of the Tug Epsilon, died at Centre Street Hospital, Saturday, from injuries received by bursting of the vessel's boiler.

NEW YORK, June 3.—The *Herald* announcing the death of Mr. Bennett says: Five years ago, Mr. Bennett entirely withdrew from the management of the *Herald*, although his general health had been remarkably good, while his fine intellect remained unimpaired and his interest in the events of the day continued unabated up to the moment of his fatal illness. About half past five o'clock last Saturday afternoon, Mr. Bennett suffered a slight convulsive attack, accompanied by epileptic symptoms, but it was not sufficiently marked or violent to excite apprehension of immediate danger. At half past one o'clock last Sunday morning, the attack was repeated, and with greater severity and from that time it became evident although Doctors Ceccarina, Hammond and Lusk were in constant attendance, and exhausted all human efforts to avert it, that Mr. Bennett's end was close at hand. On Tuesday last, at the request of Mr. Bennett, Archbishop McCloskey visited his bed-side, and administered to him the sacraments of the church. When his last hour arrived, he sank to sleep in death calmly and peacefully, and, it is said, passed away without a struggle. Mr. Bennett was in the 77th year of his age.

The body of James Gordon Bennett is to be preserved in ice until the arrival of his son and daughter from Europe, which will be some time the present week.

FROM WASHINGTON.

SENATE

WASHINGTON CITY, June 1, 1872.—The motion to rescind the resolution of final adjournment to June 3, elicited long and thorough debate, participated in by a majority of the Senators.

Messrs. Conkling and Logan were particularly severe upon Messrs Sumner and Schurz, charging them with embarrassing and delaying public business. Speaking of Sumner's speech Mr Logan said the Senator from Massachusetts will find a response to that malignant speech in every crutch that aids a wounded soldier on his way through the world; in every wooden arm; in the grieved heart of every widowed mother mourning for her patriot son that will overwhelm him and all his oratory. These will speak in thunder tones in defence of one of the most gallant soldiers that ever lived in any nation on earth. Loud applause in the galleries, which was with difficulty suppressed.

The Senate rescinded the resolution to adjourn *sine die* on Monday, June 3, by a vote of 40 to 16.

Sunday civil service was resumed, Mr. Carpenter was entitled to the floor, but was ill. He will at an early day reply to the criticisms made yesterday on the arms committee.

EVENING SESSION.

Sundry civil appropriation bills were taken up. The amendment appropriating $15,000 to introduce shad and other fish into the Gulf States and the Mississippi valley was adopted.

A resolution fixing the time of adjournment to June 10th was received from the House.

Mr. Sherman moved they concur. Agreed to.

The bill appropriating $10,000 for an equestrian statute of Gen. Rawlins. Passed. Adjourned.

HOUSE.

On motion of Mr. Shanks the investigation into the Indian frauds was ordered and concurred.

During the vacation a message was received from the Senate announcing that it had rescinded the concurrent resolution of adjournment to 3d of June.

Mr. Dawes offered a resolution to adjourn June 10th, expressing his belief that the Senate would agree. Adopted. At 9 45 recess was taken until Monday morning.

FROM PENNSYLVANIA.

READING, June 2.—The following resolutions were adopted by the Democratic State Convention last night

Resolved, That the Democratic party while in the future, as in the past, are firm in upholding the Constitution of the United States, as the foundation and limitation of the powers of the general government, and a safe shield of the liberties of the people, and demands for the citizens the largest freedom consistent with public order, and for every State the right of self-government; that to uphold the former, and protect the latter, the Democracy of Pennsylvania can offer no better platform upon which to stand than the great leading principles announced in the inauguration of President Jefferson, and the farewell address of the immortal Jackson. Upon these two great state papers we plant ourselves, and enter into the contest of 1872.

Resolved, That this convention invites the co-operation of all the citizens of the commonwealth in an earnest effort to remove from our State administration every taint of political corruption, and our attempt to do this can be made certainly successful by the union of the upright and fair-minded men of all parties, and by sustaining candidates of unquestionable ability and unspotted names.

The next resolution appeals to the people to support the nominee for Governor, because his action in the past is proof that his official influence will be used hereafter to prevent the mischief of special legislation, and to destroy the possibility of procuring the enactment of any statute by the use of money, or by any corrupt means. This resolution also declares all the candidates eminently worthy of the confidence and support of the people.

The last resolution is as follows:

Resolved, That the granting by the Radical Legislature of this State of numerous charters creating such corporations as the Southern Improvement Company, and others of similar character is unjust to the interests of trade and dangerous to the rights and liberties of the people, and as such meets our unqualified condemnation.

FOREIGN NEWS.

TORONTO, June 3.—In the House of Commons at Ottawa Saturday last after a long debate, the Pacific Railway bill was passed after having been read a third time. The passage of the bill was greeted with great cheering.

LONDON, June 3.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, Hon. Mr. Gladstone made a statement with reference to the negotiation between the British and American governments concerning the proposed supplemental article to the treaty of Washington. He announced that the supplemental treaty had been submitted to, and had received the fullest consideration by the crown lawyers, who, in rendering their opinions, have declared that the wording of the article is sufficient to preclude the preservation of the American claim for indirect damages to the Geneva Conference. Mr. Gladstone also explains that the present correspondence between the two Governments, which had been somewhat protracted, and had consequently given rise to considerable speculation as to its import and ultimate result had no reference whatever to the subject of the presentation of the indirect claims by America. The difference which occasioned a prolongation of the official correspondence between the two Governments and applied entirely to a prospective action of the clauses of the supplemental article which might result from a different construction of these claims by either Government at a future period.

FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, June 2.—The *Journal's* Jacksonville special says it is believed that the murderers of Hon. Sharon Tyndale have been discovered in the persons of two men, Dunning and Kennedy, now serving a term in the penitentiary. The detectives claim to have unearthed sufficient evidence to convict them.

FROM BROOKLYN.

BROOKLYN, June 3.—Dr Lucius B. Irish, druggist, and Mrs Sarah Anderson were arrested to-day, charged with having caused the death of Edward O. Anderson, formerly Internal Revenue Assessor, and husband of the latter by poisoning. The were arrested on affidavit of the deceased father.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1 50, July 1.46; August 1.40.
Corn, strong, cash 43½@44 July 45½, August 47½.
Pork, steady, July 12 55
Lard, weak, cash 8.15.
Oats, quiet at 41@41½
Rye, nothing doing.
Barley, nothing doing.
Highwines, steady, dull at 87
Receipts of wheat, 35,220 bushels, oats 191,980, rye 2277; barley 5290. Shipments, wheat, 558,569; oats 117,776; rye 4,800.
Hogs, receipts, 4,800; market dull and prices lower. Extreme range, 3 35@3.90.
Cattle, firm at 5 00@6 75.
Sheep, 7.50@8 50.

NEW YORK, June 3. Flour, plenty, easier, 6.95@7 25
Wheat, inactive, No. 2 Chicago held at 1.70, an advance in freights checks business.
Corn, dull, firm at 72@73 in store
Oats, easier, 54 in store, mild afloat.
Rye, nominal at 94.
Whiskey, inactive at 93
Pork, quiet at $13 15@13 20
Lard quiet at 9½@9⅞
Gold 114c.

IT is said that a full representation of the leading colored men of the country will be in Philadelphia during the session of the Republican National Convention, to urge upon that convention the adoption of resolutions indorsing the Supplementary Civil Rights bill, as originally introduced and advocated by Senator Sumner, and making it part of the platform of the party.

THE Northwest Territory and British Columbia have 28,000 miles of waterway, the greater part of which is navigable, and running through a country that has been found to be adapted to the growth of wheat.

THE Jury in the case of Cobb, Blaisdell & Co, against the Illinois Central railroad company, which has been on trial at Independence, Iowa, for the last three months, on Monday last, after being out thirty-seven hours, returned a verdict for the plaintiffs, and assessed their damages at $281,000.

New Advertisements.

WANTED—A light spring wagon, second hand, immediately. For particulars call at the American Button-hole Overseaming and Sewing Machine Office, Central Block, one door north of Warren & Durfee's. May 25-tf

BOARDING HOUSE.—Mrs. Martin has rented Dr. Chenoweth's house, No. 7 West Main street, and is prepared to accommodate a few families with good airy rooms and board, and will receive a few day boarders. [m16-d1w.

WANTED—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [m3—d-tf.]

WANTED—A girl to do the housework of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [a29-dtf

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ullrich and Daniel H. Heilman, partners as J. Ullrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Adam M. Corn, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, dec'd, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm name of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block "1," in the town of Oakley; also, the warehouse grounds being on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, commencing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning, all being in the town of Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon County.
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IN CONSEQUENCE of the continued ill health of G. C. Bartlett, he has withdrawn from our firm from this date.
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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872

Lewis F. Houck vs. Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon and that summons has been issued [illegible] returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken pro confesso against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said cause will be heard *ex parte.*

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
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Election Notice.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
DECATUR, ILLS., May 20, 1872. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Election will be held at the Court-House in Decatur on the first Tuesday in June next, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said Election will be open at [illegible] o'clock p. m., and will close at 6 o'clock, p. m.

WM. L. HAMMER, President.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk. (m22-dtd

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, June 3.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

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Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Decidedly wet.

...Getting wetter.

...A rainy season reigns.

...T. J. Crawford, Esq., of Macon, spent yesterday in the city. The 'Squire seemed to enjoy his visit.

..."All hands at the pumps!" is the cry this morning. Several of them are at work among the business houses.

...James Robinson's Circus is coming. It will be here on the 10th. We have been without a show so long, it will do well.

...A book has lately been published telling how a fellow can live on twenty-five cents a day. The Decatur dead-beats who hang around free lunch saloons can discount that by living on nothing a day, and having a little money left besides.

...If the shower does not continue more than a month longer; if the June rise does not obscure the top of our garden fence; and if the August layer of grasshoppers is not more than four inches deep—the crops in this state will give an average yield.

...The T. W. & W. Railroad is still keeping up its awful rush of business. On Saturday and Saturday night 191 cars were received from east and west, and 201 left the station. Yesterday and last night, 91 cars went out on the St. Louis & Pekin Divisions, and 116 on the main line east and west.

..The bonnets of the present season are patterned exactly after those of 1840, and have two advantages combined. The hat placed on the top of the head, and having the strings tied behind, becomes a round hat; the same little device, placed a little further at the back of the head, and having the strings tied under the chin, becomes the stylish bonnet.

We are glad to see that the enterprising firm of Southwick & Lapham have opened an office in Powers' block, in the room formerly occupied by Esquire Goodman, which they have thoroughly cleaned, painted and papered and fitted up for the convenience of their rapidly increasing business. We learn that they shipped two of their popular Dexters last week—one to Tom Davis, at Macon, and the other to Joe Adams, near Moawequa. Both mills are to be set up this week, rain or shine. It is a noticeable feature in Southwick & Lapham's business, that they sell to the best farmers in the country, which gives the business a good reputation and insures perfect success.

Toledo, Wabash & Western Railroad.--The following is the total business transacted at this station during the month of May, on the above road:

Forwarded East--70,070 bushels of corn, 300 barrels of flour, 4 cars cattle, 14 cars live hogs, and 2,216,149 lbs of merchandise and sundries.

Forwarded West--3,928 bushels corn, 562 bushels oats, 196 bushels rye, 2 cars cattle, 44,000 feet lumber, and 4,242,786 lbs merchandise and sundries.

This is a splendid exhibit for one month.

Crazy Man Confined.—Marshal Haworth on Saturday, got news that a man was knocked down near the depot, and proceeded to find out the assailant.—He found a man who was charged with having committed the assault, and whom he had noticed before as looking rather wild. He took the man in charge. On the road to the calaboose, he hailed a man, shook him by one hand and knocked him with the other. He kicked another in the groin, and hurt him very much. This was a countryman. He was put in the city jail, and pretty soon after had an epileptic fit. He was cared for by the officers.—When brought a wash-basin, he wanted to throw it at his attendants. A physician thinks that this was an attack of delirium tremens, or else the return of previous insanity. The victim is Thomas Terry, and seems pretty well to do. He had a note of large size in his pocket. He is too dangerous to be allowed to run at large.

Imported Stock.--Mr. J. H. Pickrell, of Harristown, has recently purchased of Lewis F. Allen, of Buffalo, N. Y., eight pure bred Short-Horns, consisting of two bulls and six heifers, including the first prize bull calf at the All-England and Yorkshire shows. These animals were purchased in England by John Thornton, and imported by Capt. Pratt in the ship "Hudson," October, 1871. They are named, respectively, British Flag, Standard Bearer, Flower Cherry, Lady Marie, Virginia, Amelia, Prize Flower, and Amelia 3d.

Awful Storm.—We were visited on Saturday evening by a very severe thunder storm, such as we rarely see. About seven o'clock a very dense black cloud appeared in the north; this came southward with great rapidity, growing less dense in its flight, appearing, at its approach to the zenith, like a cloud of smoke from some immense fire. The sight was grand, and hundreds of people in the streets stopped to witness it. When the greatest portion of the cloud had passed over, it seemed to separate, and a part of it went back again, then turned and went east, and then south again. Up to this time the wind was cool, but it suddenly got very warm, and seemed as though it had blown from a great fire. Then a white cloud containing a great quantity of lightning followed from the northwest. About eight o'clock the lightning became very vivid and incessant, not half a second elapsing between the flashes, and in a few minutes rain descended in perfect torrents, the lightning keeping up its intense flashes the while. We watched it till our eyes and head ached, when we were obliged to retire. About nine the storm ceased.

The lightning did some little damage in this vicinity. A barn belonging to Samuel Nesbitt, living out on North Main street, was struck and his best sow killed, but doing little damage to the barn. A house occupied by a Mr. Cussins, not far from the 1st ward school house, was also struck, the lightning running down the chimney and tearing off some plastering in one of the rooms. We hear also that Mr. Cussins and his young daughter were knocked senseless, and that it was four hours before Cussins recovered consciousness. The daughter recovered in about three quarters of an hour.

Other Storms.—On Sunday evening about six o'clock, another awful thunder storm arose. The rain came down in a deluge, at first accompanied by a little hail. We picked up one hail-stone that was over half an inch thick. The lightning was very vivid and the thunder almost simultaneous, showing that it must have struck in the vicinity.

Again, at eleven o'clock, came another, which was not near so hard although abundance of rain fell. This was followed by another between one and two o'clock this morning, in which was one peculiarly terrific crash.

At the superintendent's office at the depot, in the operator's room, the lightning has left its impress of the storms on the "switch," or device designed to protect the instruments, melting some of the metal and platinum points.

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OATS—℔ bushel,	.30@33
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—℔ bushel	
BUTTER—℔ lb,	.15
EGGS—per doz.	.10
LARD—℔ lb	.08
BACON—Sides,	.06
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.14
SHOULDERS—per lb	.06
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3.25@3.95
CATTLE— " " "	3.50@5.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " " " sheared.	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu.,	
" Peach Blow	1.00
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	.12½
APPLES— " "	.12½
DRIED CURRANTS—per lb	.20
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine.	22@20
" " coarse & long.	33@30
" combing	38@42
" Fleece wash'd, merino & fine	39@43
" " coarse & long	40@45
" " combing	48@51
" Tubwashed	55@60
" " and picked	58@62
HIDES—Green, ℔ lb	6¼@.07
" Salted cured,	8½@.09
" Calf,	.12½@.12
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
(Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.)	
FEATHERS--Prime, ℔ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ℔ lb	.25@.40
BEESWAX ℔ lb	.25
TALLOW-- "	.07@.07½
RAGS—Mixed,	1½@20
TOBACCO—Natural leaf, ℔ lb	1.00
" Half Bright, "	.68

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In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

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vs.

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Creditors' Bill.

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Now, unless you, the said J. W. C. Gay, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court-House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EDEN & ODOR,
NELSON, ROBY & PEDDECORD,
E. PARK, T. LEE, J. M. IRWIN,
Solicitors for Complainants.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. (d-30d

Appleton's New American Cyclopedia, 16 Vols.; Chambers' Encyclopedia, 10 Vols.; McClintock and Strong Cyclopedia, 4 Vols.; Scott's, Lang's, Clark's Nast's and Barnes' Commentaries, and many other Standard Works,

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May 21-d&wtf.

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May 21, 1872—d-3m.

Cultivator Hoes, for Gardens AT LIDDLE'S.

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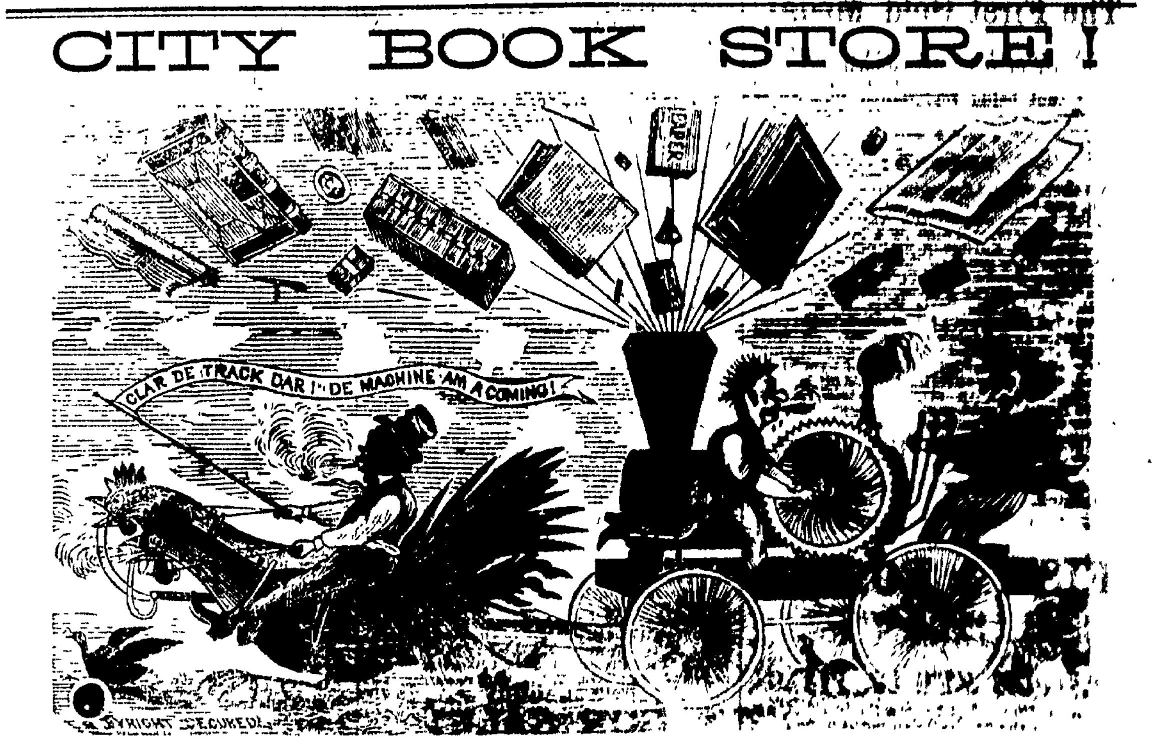
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May 28, 1872-dtf.

FOUND--That Wessels' is selling Ladies' Lasting and Kid Slippers at 50 cents per pair.

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WE ARE A LITTLE THIN, YET OUR HEALTH IS GOOD;

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We do not propose to "SELL OUT CLEAN," ---might make us unhealthy---but propose to show you NEW, FRESH GOODS EVERY DAY AND WEEK, and WAY UNDER "Bottom Prices."

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May 21, 1872-d1y

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April 1, 1872 d-tf.

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Lewis F. Houck vs. Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon and that summons has been issued [illegible] returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken [illegible] against all defendants not [illegible] and as to such defendants said cause will be heard ex parte.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
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Decatur, May 20, 1872 d-td

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Election Notice.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
DECATUR, ILLS., May 20, 1872 }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Election will be held at the Court-House in Decatur on the first Tuesday in June next, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said Election will be open at 1 o'clock p. m., and will close at 6 o'clock p. m.

WM. L. HAMMER, President.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk. (m22-dtd

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

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IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Decidedly wet.

...Getting wetter.

...A rainy season reigns.

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..."All hands at the pumps!" is the cry this morning. Several of them are at work among the business houses.

...James Robinson's Circus is coming. It will be here on the 10th. We have been without a show so long, it will do well.

...A book has lately been published telling how a fellow can live on twenty-five cents a day. The Decatur dead-beats who hang around free lunch saloons can discount that by living on nothing a day, and having a little money left besides.

...If the shower does not continue more than a month longer; if the June rise does not obscure the top of our garden fence; and if the August layer of grasshoppers is not more than four inches deep—the crops in this state will give an average yield.

...The T. W. & W. Railroad is still keeping up its awful rush of business. On Saturday and Saturday night 191 cars were received from east and west, and 201 left the station. Yesterday and last night, 91 cars went out on the St. Louis & Pekin Divisions, and 116 on the main line east and west.

..The bonnets of the present season are patterned exactly after those of 1810, and have two advantages combined. The hat placed on the top of the head, and having the strings tied behind, becomes a round hat; the same little device, placed a little further at the back of the head, and having the strings tied under the chin, becomes the stylish bonnet.

We are glad to see that the enterprising firm of Southwick & Lapham have opened an office in Powers' block, in the room formerly occupied by Esquire Goodman, which they have thoroughly cleaned, painted and papered and fitted up for the convenience of their rapidly increasing business. We learn that they shipped two of their popular Dexters last week—one to Tom Davis, at Macon, and the other to Joe Adams, near Moawequa. Both mills are to be set up this week, rain or shine. It is a noticeable feature in Southwick & Lapham's business, that they sell to the best farmers in the country, which gives the business a good reputation and insures perfect success.

Toledo, Wabash & Western Railroad.—The following is the total business transacted at this station during the month of May, on the above road:

Forwarded East—70,970 bushels of corn, 300 barrels of flour, 4 cars cattle, 14 cars live hogs, and 2,216,119 lbs of merchandise and sundries.

Forwarded West—3,928 bushels corn, 562 bushels oats, 196 bushels rye, 2 cars cattle, 44,000 feet lumber, and 4,242,780 lbs merchandise and sundries.

This is a splendid exhibit for one month.

Crazy Man Confined.—Marshal Haworth on Saturday, got news that a man was knocked down near the depot, and proceeded to find out the assailant.—He found a man who was charged with having committed the assault, and whom he had noticed before as looking rather wild. He took the man in charge. On the road to the calaboose, he hailed a man, shook him by one hand and knocked him with the other. He kicked another in the groin, and hurt him very much. This was a countryman. He was put in the city jail, and pretty soon after had an epileptic fit. He was cared for by the officers.—When brought a wash-basin, he wanted to throw it at his attendants. A physician thinks that this was an attack of delirium tremens, or else the return of previous insanity. The victim is Thomas Terry, and seems pretty well to do. He had a note of large size in his pocket. He is too dangerous to be allowed to run at large.

Imported Stock.—Mr J. H. Pickrell, of Harristown, has recently purchased of Lewis F. Allen, of Buffalo, N. Y., eight pure bred Short-Horns, consisting of two bulls and six heifers, including the first prize bull calf at the All-England and Yorkshire shows. These animals were purchased in England by John Thornton, and imported by Capt. Pratt in the ship "Hudson," October, 1871. They are named, respectively, British Flag, Standard Bearer, Flower Cherry, Lady Marie, Virginia, Amelia, Prize Flower, and Amelia 3d.

Awful Storm.—We were visited on Saturday evening by a very severe thunder storm, such as we rarely see. About seven o'clock a very dense black cloud appeared in the north; this came southward with great rapidity, growing less dense in its flight, appearing, at its approach to the zenith, like a cloud of smoke from some immense fire. The sight was grand, and hundreds of people in the streets stopped to witness it. When the greatest portion of the cloud had passed over, it seemed to separate, and a part of it went back again, then turned and went east, and then south again. Up to this time the wind was cool, but it suddenly got very warm, and seemed as though it had blown from a great fire. Then a white cloud containing a great quantity of lightning followed from the northwest. About eight o'clock the lightning became very vivid and incessant, not half a second elapsing between the flashes, and in a few minutes rain descended in perfect torrents, the lightning keeping up its intense flashes the while. We watched it till our eyes and head ached, when we were obliged to retire. About nine the storm ceased.

The lightning did some little damage in this vicinity. A barn belonging to Samuel Nesbitt, living out on North Main street, was struck and his best sow killed, but doing little damage to the barn. A house occupied by a Mr. Cussins, not far from the 1st ward school house, was also struck, the lightning running down the chimney and tearing off some plastering in one of the rooms. We hear also that Mr. Cussins and his young daughter were knocked senseless, and that it was four hours before Cussins recovered consciousness. The daughter recovered in about three quarters of an hour.

Other Storms.—On Sunday evening about six o'clock, another awful thunder storm arose. The rain came down in a deluge, at first accompanied by a little hail. We picked up one hail-stone that was over half an inch thick. The lightning was very vivid and the thunder almost sumultaneous, showing that it must have struck in the vicinity.

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BEANS—₶ bushel	
BUTTER—₶ lb	.15
EGGS—per doz.	.10
LARD—₶ lb	.08
BACON—Sides,	.06
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.14
SHOULDERS—per lb	.06
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3.25@3.95
CATTLE— "	3.50@5.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " sheared.	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu.,	
" Peach Blow,	1.00
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	.12½
APPLES— " "	.12½
DRIED CURRANTS—per lb	.20
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	22@30
" " coarse & long	33@30
" " combing	38@42
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@44
" " coarse & long	40@45
" " combing	48@51
" Tubwashed	55@60
" " and picked	58@62
HIDES—Green, ₶ lb	6½@.07
" Salted cured,	8½@.09
" Calf,	.12½@12
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
(Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.)	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₶ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ₶ lb	.25@.40
BEESWAX ₶ lb	.25
TALLOW— "	.07@.07½
RAGS—Mixed,	1½@2c
TOBACCO—Natural leaf, ₶ lb	1.00
" Half Bright, "	.68

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Elias Kost, Joseph S. Farnum, to use of Quinsigamond National Bank of Worcester, William H. Whiteside, to the use of the First National Bank of Wabash, Charles D. Bond, to the use of the Fort Wayne National Bank, William H. Howell and Thomas L. Barr, partners by name of Howell, Barr & Co., George S. Allison, and John M. Long, Peter Black and Robert B. Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan, and Z. Reed Brockway,

vs.

Jacob R. Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fearn, Stephen Shipman, William L. Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, O. B. Adams, Hannah Freese, Frederick Lewis, A. M. Livingston, William B. Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libby, J. Howard Livingston, W. C. Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K. Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B. Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, Mary P. Palmer, Lucretia Briggs, Em. J. Vaughan, and John A. Hamilton; James H. Alexander, Administrator of T. K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs of T. K. Alexander, and the unknown heirs and Administrator of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright.

Creditors' Bill.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Isaac Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Hannah Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, William B. Livingston, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, above named defendants, having been filed in my office; and that the names of the heirs of T. K. Alexander are unknown, and that the names of the heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright, are unknown, notice is hereby given to the said Isaac Freese, John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Hannah Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, William B. Livingston, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in the said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 3d day of January, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the 22d day of July, A.D. 1872, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said J. W. C. Gay, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court-House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EDEN & ODON,
NELSON, ROBY & PEDDECORD,
E. PARK, T. LEE, J. M. IRWIN,
Solicitors for Complainants.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. [d-30d

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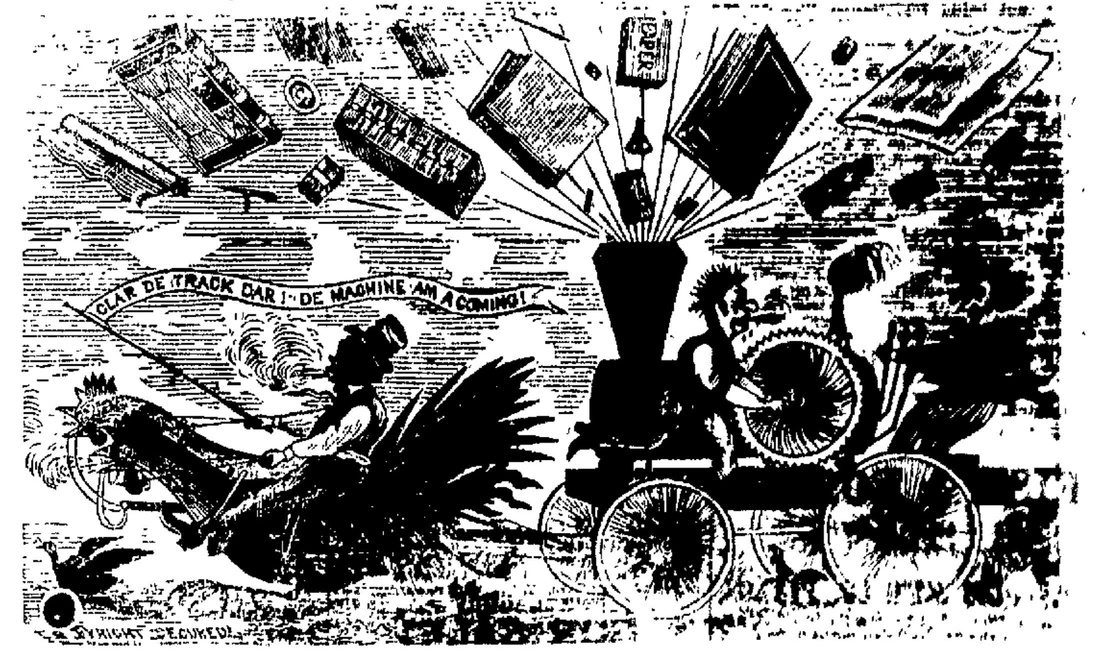
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May 28, 1872-dtf.

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The Daily Republican.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

Iowa has two thousand square miles of coal fields.

Extensive lead mines are being opened in Utah.

Nevada newspapers take crude ore in payment of subscription.

There are said to have been 926 earthquakes since the year 1800.

The first colored lawyer has been admitted to practice in South Carolina.

One of the most useful things, in the long run, for all classes of society is—breath.

White Mountain tourists complain that the prices are higher than the mountains.

The Iowa Legislature has passed an act exempting sewing machines from execution.

More than 1,000 tourists, left New York on the European steamships on a recent Saturday.

The Steamer City of Corinne is making excursion trips on Great Salt Lake, which are very popular with tourists.

But little is heard of Nevada Territory, but it is stated that the gold yield of Nevada County alone has been $5,000,000 per annum for two years past, and this year it will be $7,000,000.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Lewis B. Casner, and against James Powell, I have levied upon the undivided interest of James Powell in the following described property, to-wit: The west half (½) of lot four (4), in the northwest quarter of section four (4), in township fifteen (15), north range four (4), east of the third principal meridian in Macon County, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said James Powell, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1872, between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and five o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon County.

May 27 d-20 d.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McCay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

PALLAS McCAY,
Administrator.

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Sup't Public Instruction	Newton Bateman

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Representative at Large	J. L. Beveridge
" 7th Dist.	Jesse H. Moore

Legislators.

State Senators, 10th Dist.	Michael Donahue, John McNulta
Representatives, 4th Dist.	William T. M [illegible], Wilm E. Nelson

Judicial Officers.

District Judge	A. J. Gallagher
District Attorney	M. B. Thompson
Clerk Circuit Court	E. McClellan

County Officers.

County Judge	S. F. Greer
County Clerk	H. W. Waggoner
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Deputy	I. D. Jennings
Superintendent of Schools	O. F. McKim
County Surveyor	Geo. V. Loring
Coroner	M. Y. Givler

City Officers.

Mayor	D. S. Shellabarger
Aldermen—1st wd	Joseph Mills, W. J. Myers
" 2d "	Frank Hardy, E McNabb
" 3d "	A. T. Hill, W H Bramble
" 4th "	B B Richards, Wm. Gabler
Register	Geo. P. Hardy
Treasurer	M. K. Hatch
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Collector	H. H. Brown
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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—Wm. L. Hammer, S. F. Greer, and H. B. Durfee; Wm. L. Hammer, President; E. A. Gastman, Superintendent and Clerk.

Decatur Township Officers.

Town Clerk	Geo Goodman
Assessor	Fred. J. Smith
Collector	H. H. Brown
Commissioner of Highways	A. J. Williams
Justices of Peace	M. K. Hatch, J. W. Bear, J. E. Kinney, T B Albert, G. W. Baker
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Whitmore	Joshua Green
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. J E Moffett, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. J. H. Noble, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

STAPP'S CHAPEL, (METHODIST EPISCOPAL)—Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. H. O. Hoffman, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. H. Buck, Presiding Elder.

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PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. ——— rector. Services at 10½ A. M and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Corner North Main and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. Mr. Fields, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. A. D. Northcutt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

GERMAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. H. Hilmes, pastor.—Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—On Prairie street west of the new square. Rev. ———, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner of the North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Walsh, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

CHURCH OF GOD—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets, Rev. M. S. Newcomer, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—Corner of Wood and Edward streets. Rev. Mr. ———, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.

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MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night preceeding full moon every month. W. H. Gipson, W. M.; Samuel Newell, Secretary.

IONIC LODGE, No. 312, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. J. H. Babbitt, W. M.; Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

MACON CHAPTER, No. 21.—Regular meeting, Tuesday night preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

DECATUR COUNCIL, No. 16.—A. A. Murray, G. M.; J. R. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm. L. Hammer Recorder. Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

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LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.—Merchant street, over Miss Miller's millinery store, 2nd floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $3. And any member shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Thatcher, Secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hill, Treasurer.

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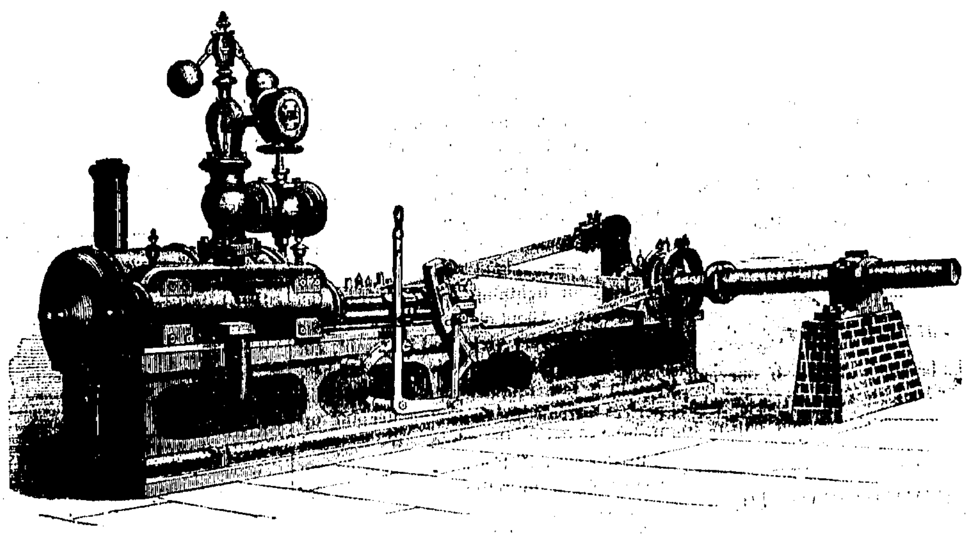

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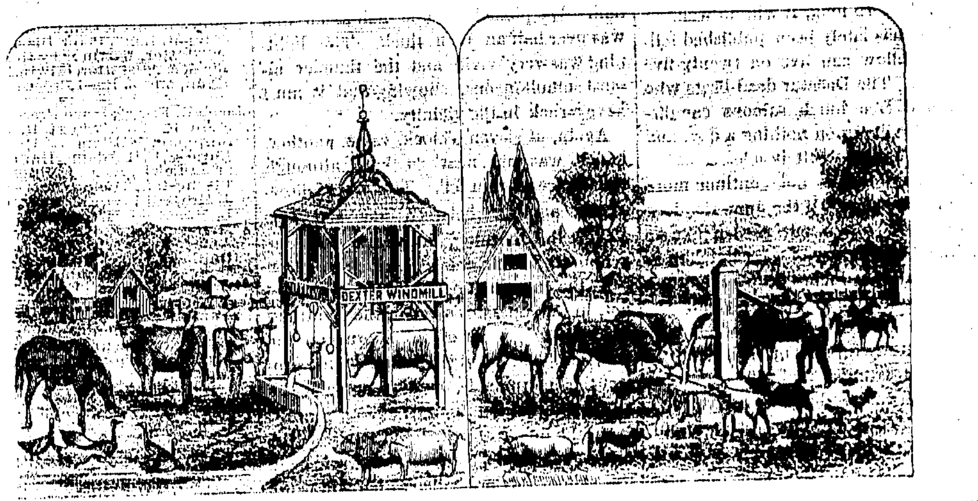

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October 19, 1871—3mos.

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ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, 7TH DIST., ILL.,
WATSEKA, April 8th, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will, on the 25th day of April, A. D., 1872, attend at the Assessor's Office of the 7th Collection District, Illinois, in the town of Watseka, in said District, for the purpose of receiving and determining appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations by said Assessor, or any Assistant Assessor, returned in the Annual List of March, 1872. All appeals must be in writing, and must specifically state causes of appeal.

FRANKLIN BLADES, Assessor.

April 11, 1872—w-1t.

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June 8, 1871

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

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BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Lewis B. Casner, and against James Powell, I have levied upon the undivided interest of James Powell in the following described property, to-wit: The west half (½) of lot four (4), in the northwest quarter of section four (4), in township fifteen (15), north range four (4), east of the third principal meridian in Macon County, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said James Powell, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1872, between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and five o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon County.

May 27 d-20 d.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McCay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

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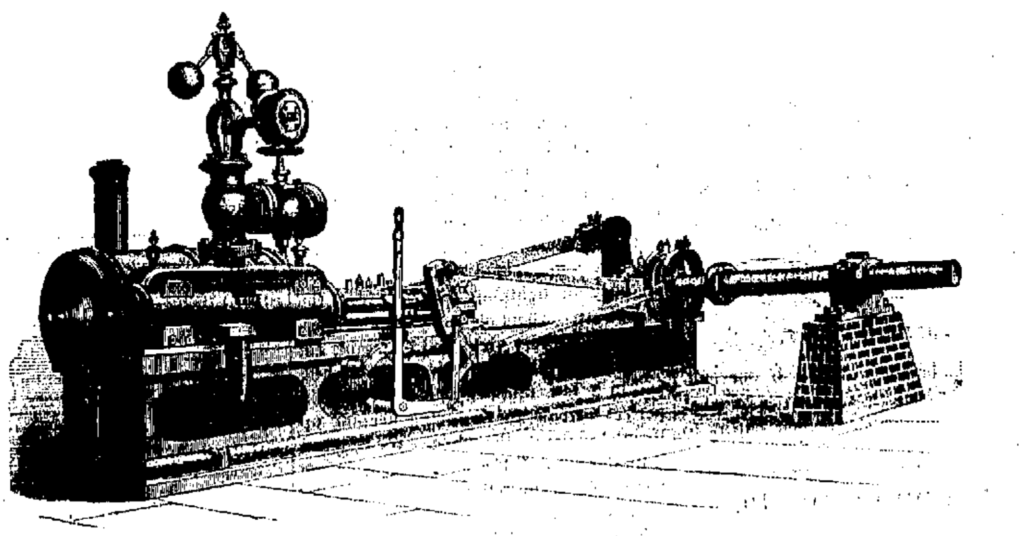

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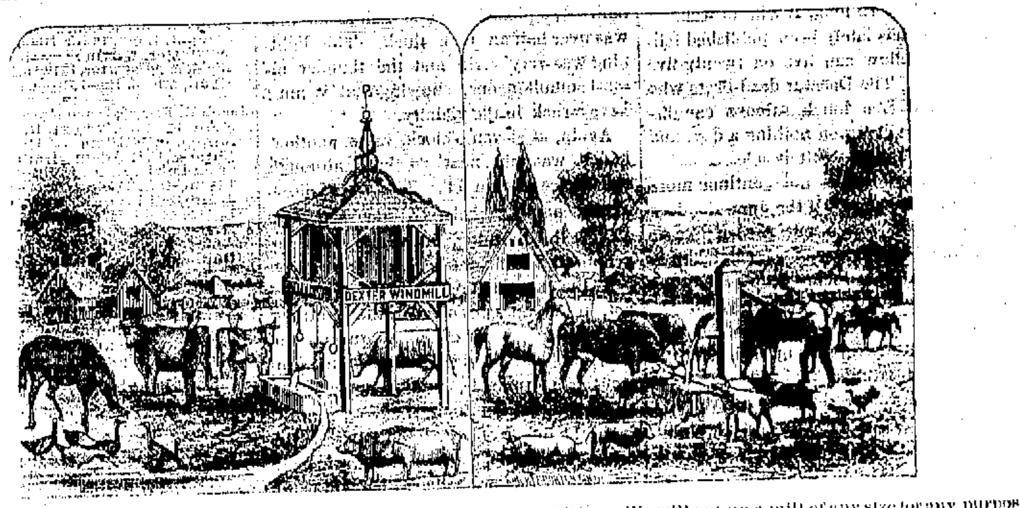

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will, on the 25th day of April, A. D., 1872, attend at the Assessor's Office of the 7th Collection District, Illinois, in the town of Watseka, in said District, for the purpose of receiving and determining appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations by said Assessor, or any Assistant Assessor, returned in the Annual List of March, 1872. All appeals must be in writing, and must specifically state causes of appeal.

FRANKLIN BLADES, Assessor.

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